

We saw him first one sunny, Sabbath morn—
A stranger, young and full, and full of grace,
With strength of body, and of soul, and grace,
And truth and honor, stamped upon his face.
And as the day drew by, we learned to know
That truth and honor, stamped upon his face,
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Remembered one, how beneath the "shining roof,"
And knew that God in mercy had sent him,
And in this deep affliction he had sent him,
Hath still some purpose, holy, just and wise,
Ye would not call your loved one back to earth,
And waken him from the sweet, eternal rest,
That he hath entered on, beyond the skies,
Within the radiant bosom of the Christ.

Then heavenward turn your grief and "wonder-
ful heart."

As at the "happy hour" we humbly "knew,"
And ye shall find sweet consolation there,
For God himself, shall all your "sorrow heal."
GARRARD COUNTY, March, 1877.

Mrs. Luffy and I.

Mrs. Luffy keeps a carriage,
So do I.
She has dapple grays to draw it,
None have I.
With my blue-eyed laughing baby,
Trundling by,
I like his face, I love his smile,
The chubby boy and tiny eye.
Her little husband has white fingers,
Mine has not.
He could give his bride a palace,
Mine a cot;
Her's comes home beneath the starlight,
Never care she
Mine comes in the purple twilight,
Kisses me,
And prays that He who turns life's sands,
Will hold his loved one in his hands.
Mrs. Luffy has her jewels,
So have I.
She wears her upon her bosom,
I wear I.
She will leave her at death's portals,
By and by,
I shall leave my treasure with me,
When I die.
For I have love and she has gold,
She counts her wealth—mine can't be told.
She has those who love her station,
None have I.
But I've one true heart beside me,
Glad am I.
I'd not change it for a kingdom,
No, nor I.
God will weigh it in his balance,
So, and by.
And the difference plain,
'Tis Mrs. Luffy's wealth and mine.

"How art my morning star," he said,
"My life of love and joy."
The planet of my soul's delight,
When evening shades prevail,
She leached with her golden curls,
And raised her head to meet,
Then stole with one almighty eye,
And all she said was "sweet."

Here is something expression of parental grief
from a tombstone.

"Remember this of our baby life,
It is no more a mere name, but
It lived just 27 days—
And cost cost us \$6 dollars.

RELIGIOUS ITEMS.

Elder J. C. Ballou will preach at the
Christian Church here, next Sunday,
at 11 o'clock.

The Baptist protracted meeting
just closed at Midway, resulted in 33
conversions—18 of whom were bap-
tized last Sunday.

Rev. G. O. Barnes, having con-
cluded a gracious revival at Burkville,
has gone with his daughter, Miss
Marie, to hold a meeting in Glasgow.

AT THE STANFORD CHURCHES.—
Notwithstanding a steady rain, and a
disagreeable day, generally, there was
preaching at all the Churches here on
Sunday, save the Presbyterian. For
the thorough vindication of our es-
teemed friend, Rev. J. A. Bogle, we
had earnestly hoped for a fair day,
when the attendance would be full at
the Methodist Church. He, however,
showed his determination to stand up
to his word in regard to reducing the
length of his sermons, and in the space
of 37 minutes delivered a discourse
both learned and interesting. At the
same Church at night, Rev. J. Loton
Barnes, proved that the assertion that
the preachers of the West End never
knew when to "wind up the"—their
sermons, was a gross misrepresentation
of facts—for he succeeded in "wind-
ing up" an excellent sermon in thirty-
five minutes. At the Christian
Church Elder Jos. Ballou preached in
the forenoon. It took him 55 min-
utes to get through with his remarks.
This won't do. Rev. Jno. M. Bruce,
at the Baptist Church, had a fair au-
dience considering the inclement weath-
er. Twenty-five minutes were only
consumed in the delivery of his dis-
course. No preaching at the Church
at night.

The Steps of Fashionable Women
Regulated.

Word comes to us from Paris of a
recent contrivance of the modistes, by
which the long trains and collared
dresses are to be retained in position.
A strong elastic is attached to one
garter, just above the knee, carried
over, and fastened to the other; thus
the length of the steps taken by the
wearer is regulated, and the classical
folds of the costume remain undis-
turbed.

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A Spelling Lesson.

Here is a good spelling lesson for
young and old:—"The most skillful
gauger I ever knew was a maligned
cobbler, armed with a pinboard, who
drove a peddler's wagon, using a mul-
lein stalk as an instrument of coer-
cion to tyrannize over his pony, shod
with calks. He was a Galilean Sad-
ducee, and he had a phthisicky ca-
tarrh, diphtheria, and the bilious in-
termittent erysipelas. A certain sibyl,
with the sobriquet of 'Gypsy,' went
into ecstasies of cackination at seeing
him measure a bushel of peas, and
separate anacharistic tomatoes from a
heap of peeled potatoes without dy-
ing or singeing the ignitable quack
which he wore, or becoming paralyzed
with a hemorrhage. Lifting her eyes
to the ceiling of the cupola of the
Capitol to conceal her unparalleled
embarrassment, making a rough cour-
tesy, and not harassing him with mys-
tifying, rarefying, and stupefying in-
nuendoes, she gave him a douch, a
bouquet of lilies, mignonette, a fuch-
sia, a treatise on mnemonics, a copy
of the Apocrypha in hieroglyphics,
daguerotypes of Mendelssohn and
Kosciusko, a kaleidoscope, a dram
vial of ipocuanha, a tea-spoonful of
naphtha for deleber purposes, a ferule
a clarinet, some horeice, a surcingle,
a carnelian of symmetrical propor-
tions, a chronometer with a movable
balance-wheel, a box of dominos, and
a catechism. The gauger, who was
also a trafficking rectifier and a par-
sioner of mine, preferring a wooden
surtout (his choice was referable to a
vacillating, occasionally occurring
idiocy), wofully uttered this
apophthegm, 'Life is checked, but
schism, apostasy, heresy, and villainy
shall be punished.' The sibyl apocry-
phically answered, 'There is notably
an allegraphic difference between a con-
ferrable ellipsis and a trixyllabic dia-
eresis.' We replied in trochees, not
impugning her suspicion."

We suggest to our readers that some
member of the "family circle," when
conversation lags during the evening,
should "give out" the above words.
The one who is successful in spelling
all of them correctly may be congrat-
ulated, and should go to the head of
the class.

Effects of Blue Glass.

A correspondent of the San Fran-
cisco Chronicle, who had suffered from
chronic rheumatism for many years,
placed blue glass in the windows of his
bath-room and filled the tub with wa-
ter. He was suddenly called out of
town on urgent business, and did not
return for several days. When he
opened the door of the bath-room he
was impressed with the efficacy of blue
glass. These are his own words: "I found
the room filled with nasty, slimy rep-
tiles, somewhat resembling shrimps, but
very much larger—in fact, a great
many of them would weigh a pound.
After I had recovered from my fright,
I called my wife and demanded an ex-
planation: "Where did these things come
from, and why have they been placed
in this room?" She looked in-
to the room, screamed and fainted. I
carried her to bed, and called for the
camphor-bottle, and after she had suf-
ficiently recovered her senses, she cried
out, "Oh, those are the nasty things
that are in the water; those are the
cyclopes." Under the influence of the
blue glass the microscopic creatures
had developed into such enormous pro-
portions that they had crowded them-
selves out of the bath-tub until they
lay on the floor at least two feet deep.

Got His Duties Mixed.

A portly Teuton in Wilkesbarre fills
the two-fold position in the commu-
nity of saloon-keeper on week-days, and
organist of a church on Sundays. A
short time ago he had been up pretty
late on a Saturday night waiting on
customers, and next day, while presid-
ing at the organ, found it difficult to
keep his eyes open. The preacher
proceeded with his sermon to the end,
and at its conclusion the organist was
fast asleep and snoring loudly. The
choir being in readiness to commence
singing, some one shook the sleeping
musician from his slumbers to play an
accompaniment. He awoke with a
start, and electrified the congregation
by shouting at the top of his voice—
"Rory, fife glass pier.—[Pottsville
(Pa.) Journal.

CURLING A SWITCH OF NATURAL
HAIR.—Comb it out nicely and oil it;
roll tightly on muslin rags, four of
them; fasten by sewing; boil for half
an hour in soap suds; sponge them
and set to dry in any warm place,
still leaving them done up; allow a
full week for drying; longer would be
better; separate and brush carefully
on a curling-stick without wetting.—
[New York Times.

The Postmaster General's response
to all applicants for office, is: "No va-
cancy." He is playing a little game
of Key-no with the boys.

STATE NEWS.

Circuit Court commenced at Somerset
last Monday.

Seventy-two negroes recently left Jema-
mine in one car, bound for Kansas.

The McLean County Progress is for sale.
Price, with \$500 worth of accounts, \$500.

An animal partaking of the nature and
appearance of a fox, raccoon and wildcat,
is puzzling the people of Warren.

J. G. Parker, a freight Conductor on the
Maysville R. R., was run over and killed
by an Engine at Paris, last week.

Thirty-four acres of land near Paris sold
last week for \$184 per acre. It was the
property of the late Senator Davis.

A ghost has lately been seen by various
people at various points in this neighbor-
hood recently, says the Elizabethtown News.

A man named Keith has sued a Mrs.
Ross in Paduch, for \$5,000 damages, be-
cause she called him a "thieving, wooly
dog."

Two Irishmen with bullet holes through
their skulls, were found near Georgetown
Friday. It is supposed they were murder-
ed for their money.

Dr. N. C. Tilford, of Grayson county, fell
over a cliff some sixty feet high and was
killed. His body was not found until two
days after the accident.

The champion hemp raiser lives in Clark.
He had 105 acres in hemp last year, has al-
ready broken out 35,000 lbs, and with 30
hands, is still a-breaking.

The Cincinnati Correspondence feature
of the Blue Grass Paper is not an attrac-
tive one. A country paper should en-
courage local correspondents.

Robt. Shipp, one of the murderers of
old Mr. Rodgers, several years ago, has
just had his trial at Springfield, and was
sentenced to the Penitentiary for life.

A young Irish laborer on the Bend Gap
R. R. succeeded in castrating himself with
some pieces of glass that he broke from a
window at the house of Father Hickey. He
was laboring under a fit of insanity.

Miss Mollie Anderson has brought a
breach of promise suit for \$10,000 in the
Henry Circuit Court, against A. H. Cooper-
er, who recently married one of the
wealthiest young ladies of the county.

James Robinson shot and killed a negro
at Clinton, in Fayette county, because, as
he asserts, the negro snapped a pistol in
his face. This is the second negro he has
shot in ten days, and he is now in jail, with-
out bail.

Lightning struck the dwelling of Thos.
J. Graham, near Flemingsburg, during the
storm last week, and knocked down the
chimney, shivered the clock, overturned the
mantel, and tore up the hearth. Pretty
good work for lightning to get in this early
in the season.

James Bagby, who made a murderous
assault on James Scott, at Benton Station,
in Kenton county, endeavored to flee the
State, but we learn from the Newport
Local, arrested at the Suspension Bridge
on his way to Cincinnati. Scott is still in a
very precarious condition.

C. R. Williams, an itinerant lawyer
from Virginia, who recently swung out his
shingle in Witley county, has decamped,
we learn from the Somerset Republican,
with \$225 of his clients' money. In his
haste to leave he forgot to pay sundry debts
he had contracted, and what few effects he
left have been levied on.

The Jury in the Mickey murder case
says the Sully Statute, under the
impression that they got their board and \$2
per day, so they put up at the best hotel at
\$2 50 per day. At the conclusion of the
trial, it was said sight to see the disap-
pointment depicted on those jurors faces,
as they realized that they only got \$2 per
day, minus expenses. They think it a
hard case to serve their county at a loss of
50 cents per day.

GENERAL NEWS.

Postmaster General Key has thir-
teen children.

Grant will leave for Europe with
his family in May.

Floridians now regale themselves
with the luscious strawberry.

Female Suffrage has been defeated
in the Rhode Island Legislature by a
majority of one.

Dr. Raphael, the Cincinnati Quack
Doctor and humbug generally, has
committed suicide.

A member of Sardis Grange, in Al-
abama, raised ninety bushels of corn
on one acre of ground.

There is a marmalade factory at
Jacksonville, Florida, that turns out
three tons of it in a week.

Dr. Mary Walker has been forcibly
ejected from the Treasury building by
order of Secretary John Sherman, for
being a common nuisance.

A sign, with the letters "Orange
Park" on it, in Florida, is the largest
in the United States. It is 200 feet
long, and can be read easily at a dis-
tance of 6 miles.

After a four days trial, the suit
against the Baltimore and Ohio R. R.
Company by a negro woman for eject-
ment from a first-class car, was de-
cided in favor of the R. R. Company.

John D. Lee, the leader of the Mountain
Meadows Massacre, who was shot last
Friday for the crime committed 20 years
ago, leaves eight-
teen wives and sixty-four children to
mourn his loss.

[For the Interior Journal.]

The Herald of Fame; Or How to
Obtain Honors.

"Whereas, it appears from our own
observation, and from all past histo-
ry, that in the literary, political and
religious world, they who flatter the
prejudices and pamper the passions of
mankind, and are liberal in eulogizing
the popular men and popular meas-
ures receive and enjoy the highest
fame and the largest meed of praise;
and whereas we, ourselves, all reli-
gious men, are solicitous to possess the
largest share of human applause for
our own interest and pleasure; and
believing that all ends are to be attain-
ed by proper measures, we, the more
certainly to secure to ourselves and to
our friends these enviable distinctions,
do agree to confederate and co-operate
under the following

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION.

1. We shall sustain every press and
every preacher that sustains us; and
the more effectually to secure the ob-
jects of our own association, we shall
have our own presses and preachers to
aid, and to co-operate with, every
preacher and press favorable to our
views and objects.

2. Our principal publication shall be
titled "The Herald of Fame," and
our creed shall be that most in accord-
ance with the majority of the com-
munities in which we reside.

3. It shall be the duty of our edi-
tors to show forth the excellency and
utility of every benevolent scheme in
our part of Christendom; to embel-
lish and exalt all associations—"Religious,
Literary, Political, Social, Civil and
Amusing," and each and every other
association which may take with the
people under any plausible pretence;
to represent these combinations as the
heralds of the millennial glory of the
church.

4. It shall also be the duty of our
editors to collect and publish all an-
ecdotes favorable to our enterprise;
and in case of the paucity of these
auxiliaries, they must invent and
publish such as will secure the appro-
bation of men to our benevolent in-
stitutions.

5. Our editors shall take special
care to publish at proper intervals,
and with all imposing conspicuity, the
most distinguished contributors to
these projects, and to set forth, in the
most glowing colors, the accomplish-
ments and elevated attainments of all
the prominent actors in this golden
drama, and to defend us against each
and every attack that might expose
our craft or deprive us of any portion
of our reward.

6. Our prominent Managers, Presi-
dents, Secretaries and Treasurers, shall
be chosen to office wholly with regard
to their wealth, high-standing and
reputation in this present world. No
man, though spotless as Job, or as
holy as Elijah, shall ever become a
President, Manager or Director, if he
be either poor or obscure. But by
calling the wise, the noble, the wealth-
y, and the great men of this world
to manage our affairs, we shall secure
more respect, more fame, and more
of that most essential of all things to
success—pious donations.

7. In enrolling the names of con-
tributors, and in publishing the chari-
ties of our friends, the rule shall be
(except in such cases as profound pol-
icy may make commendable) to place
at the head of the list the largest con-
tributor. In the "Herald of Fame"
the virtues and attainments, real and
imaginary, of all our prominent
friends, whether as managers or con-
tributors, shall be duly set forth, that
their example may become more use-
ful to our cause.

8. Our preachers shall evince a great
regard for the good book, but must
always draw from it such doctrines as
suit the prevailing sentiments of our
friends.

9. Our press and our preachers
shall always be devoted to the Colleges
and Theological Schools; and when-
ever any College confers any degrees
upon our preachers, it shall be the
duty of that preacher ever afterwards
to build up that College by inducing
all under his influence to send their sons
and wards to it. Our papers too,
shall eulogize its Faculty and the in-
comparable attainments of its Presi-
dent, but this must be done in all
prudence, and as suggested by our
censors of the press.

10. In getting up revivals all means
popular shall be employed. Christ's
and the Devil's pews shall all be em-
ployed as far as convenient. And
while we may borrow help from those
better skilled than we in working up
human passions, let us take care of
the converts, and pay our allies in
praise.

11. The "Herald of Fame" and
every member of our society shall
always proceed upon the principle that
fame is the summum bonum; and that
to be praised, we must praise, espe-
cially those whose praise can most pro-
mote our own.

12. W. T. B., DD., Hon. J. T. C.,
L.L.D.; Maj. Gen. O. P. Q., and
G. H. L., Esq., are appointed a com-
mittee to solicit subscribers to our
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Done at our first meeting, January
3rd, 18—.

T. Puff, Secretary.
All papers friendly to the cause,
please copy.

Authors of Familiar Quotations.
Brevity is the soul of wit.—[Shak-
speare.

To make a virtue of a necessity.—
[Dryden.

I own the soft impeachment.—
[Shelidan.

Hell is paved with good intentions.
—[Johnson.

The child is father to the man.—
[Wadsworth.

Handsome is that handsome does.
—[Goldsmith.

Assume a virtue if you have it not.
—[Shakespeare.

And bid the devil take the hind-
most.—[Butler.

None but the brave deserve the
fair.—[Dryden.

An honest man's the noblest work
of God.—[Pope.

A change came o'er the spirit of my
dream.—[Byron.

The better part of valor is discre-
tion.—[Shakespeare.

I love to tell the truth and shame
the devil.—[Swift.

Screw your courage to the sticking
place.—[Shakespeare.

Worth make the man, the want of
it the fellow.—[Pope.

'Tis pleasant, sure, to see one's
name in print.—[Byron.

Peace has her victories no less re-
nowned than war.—[Milton.

O, fairest of creation, last and best
of all God's works.—[Milton.

There is nothing half so sweet in
life as loves young dream.—[Moore.

A Sensation in Church.

There was a sudden sensation in an
Oakland Church on a late Sunday. It
appears that a young lady member
of the choir became so anxious to ex-
amine a certain exasperatingly pretty
bonnet in a pew back under the organ
loft, that she lost her balance, and
turned a somersault down upon the
unsuspecting congregation. The min-
ister had only reached "tenthly," when
he was shocked by a dissolving view
of striped stockings; and the million-
aire underneath had just selected his
smallest coin for the heathen, when a
pair of two-inch heels took him in the
back of the neck like the last dying
kick of a pile-driver. When the dust
cleared away, the church was found
to be empty, and since then the flock
have meekly, but firmly informed the
vestry that unless the choir is fenced
in, or a net stretched over the heads
of the congregation, as required by
law, they will stay away from the
sanctuary.

Six school-ma'ams of Central New
York have recently started for Buenos
Ayres, South America. They each
got \$500 in gold for the expenses of
their passage, &c., and a salary of
\$2,400 in gold per annum for five
years. At the expiration they are to
get a sixth month's leave of absence and
\$500 in gold for the expenses of the
trip to this country and return.

THE RULING PASSION STRONG IN
DENY.—One of the discoveries made
by the latest arctic explorers is that
the length of the polar night is one
hundred and forty-two days. "What
a glorious place that would be," says
Brown, "in which to tell a man with
a bill to call round the day after to-
morrow and get his money."

A New York taxidermist is stuffing
a lion for P. T. Barnum, inside of
which he is placing machinery that
will cause the beast to roar
loud enough to be heard for miles. It
will be mounted on a chariot, and a
steam engine inside will move the an-
imal to utterance.

A young lady dressed in much false
hair was warbling at the piano and
when her mother summoned her to as-
ist in some household duties, her rosy
lips opened poutingly and snapped out,
"O, do it yourself!" And then
she went on singing, "Kind words
can never die."

TEACHER.—Who was the first man?
BROWN (head boy)—Washington; he
was the first in war, first in—
Teacher.—No, no! Adam was the first
man. BROWN.—Oh! If you are talk-
ing of foreigners, I s'pose he was.

You can't expect a lawyer to dress
well who never gets a suit.

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An interesting letter from our old friend E. A. Tarrant, will appear next week.

You will find Briggs & Bro., D. M. Perry & Co., and Detroit Seed Co., Garden Seeds, at the P. O. Store.

Mr. Wm. STEPHENSON's little child, who was so badly burned some time since, is slowly recovering from her injuries.

S. B. MATHENY, Esq., left for Cedar Rapids, Iowa, on Tuesday last, to attend a Railroad meeting to take place there this week.

MARRIED.—Wm. Vinson and Miss Sophie Gooch, were married yesterday, at the residence of the bride's father, near McKinney's Station.

DIED.—Mr. Wm. Young, Circuit Clerk of Casey County, died of Consumption on the 21st of March. He was a very popular officer, and held in high regard by nearly every one.

UNDER the head of Religious Items on our first page, Elder Jos. Ballou is announced to preach here next Sunday. This appointment has been withdrawn, and he will preach at Hustonville at 11 o'clock on that day.

DIED.—On Monday last, after an illness of several weeks, Mrs. Sarah E. Mattingly, wife of Mr. Robert T. Mattingly. She was conscious of her condition to the last, and left many evidences to her surviving friends of her dying hope of a blissful hereafter.

EIGHT prisoners are now confined in our county jail. All the crimes, from murder down to petty larceny, are represented, and it is probable that several of them will take a trip to Frankfort before long. Circuit Court will commence two weeks from next Monday.

SEVERAL ladies from the "West End" were in town this week, who made many purchases of those elegant dress goods at Hayden Bros'. Their stock in this line is yet full, owing to recent shipments from New York. Ladies, go there and examine them.

New goods are arriving and being opened daily by the Hayden Brothers, and within a few days their entire stock will be opened, and we say to our readers, far and near, that if you want to buy goods of the best kind, at low rates, go there first and examine them.

CANVAS HAMS.—Wheeler & Evans, our enterprising pork packers, are putting about one thousand well cured hams in canvas for this market. We have tested their quality and know that they are greatly superior to those brought here in canvas. "A word to the wise, &c."

PROF. TRIEBLER, the world renowned "Wizard of the Alps," will give illustrations of his wonderful powers in legistics, magic and exhibit his wonderful chromatic views this (Friday) night, at Hall's Gap, and to-morrow night at Highland. Satisfaction guaranteed. Go, every body.

C. S. R. R.—Mr. Patrick Flannery, the contractor for section 85 in Pulaski, has completed his work to the satisfaction of the Engineers and has pulled up stakes on the Cincinnati Southern. Like a good many of us, he has had quite enough of it, and is willing now to retire for a season.

DESIRING to bring to this market the largest, best and most attractive stock of goods of any merchant in this part of the State, Mr. E. B. Hayden is still in the Eastern markets making purchases and shipping them home as fast as lightning express trains can bear them.

WANTED.—Information as to who has a certain Patent Attachment to an "old fashioned" churn. The "attachment" is secured into a stationary post, or wall, and works by a crank, like a grindstone, and small grindstones are also attached. The movement is perpendicular. Address this office.

The salary grabbing Town Trustees have well nigh run their race. A few more days and they will retire from their onerous duties into the quiet shades of private life, conscious of having decimated the town to the amount of \$24 a piece and forever haunted with the thought of their ill-gotten gains.

YESTERDAY and the day before Hayden Brothers were busy receiving and opening their splendid assortment of carpets, oil cloths and furniture just arrived from the cities. We saw them after they were opened out, and declare to our readers that we have never seen one so excellently fitted in price, quality or beauty.

A LADY went into one of our leading stores the other day and remarked that she had heard so much about the nice goods there, that she desired to look at them, but not to buy at that time. So pleased was she, however, that before leaving the store she had purchased nearly \$30 worth of Hayden Bros', whose store we have herein referred to.

DISCUSSION.—Baptists are catching fits at Shelby City, this week. Rev. Kendall of the Protestant Methodist Church and Elder Ball, of the Christian Church commenced a discussion there on Tuesday, which is to last eight days. Not much interest is manifested in the debate, as it is not supposed that these obscure brethren will shed any new light on the vexed questions under discussion.

NEW LIVERY STABLE.—J. R. Owens and Thomas Buford have formed a co-partnership in the Livery Stable business, and are getting ready an outfit that can not be surpassed by any stable in the State, outside of Louisville. They have already purchased five or six new buggies and phaetons, and a number of fine horses. Advertisement next week.

FISHING.—Mr. R. E. Barrow, with his usual generosity, invites any and all persons inclined to while away an hour or so in angling, to visit his pond and enjoy themselves. The pond is stocked with the best varieties of fish and will be free to any one till the first of May. Those who accept of this kind offer are requested not to leave his gates open nor bring their horses inside his enclosure.

WE are glad to know that those accomplished young ladies, Misses P. W. and Lola F. Wood, succeeded in getting up a really good school in Penmanship at this place. They have about 100 scholars, all anxious to master the art, and many of them are making rapid improvement. The young ladies deserve the highest success, and we trust that their visit to Stanford will be both pleasant and remunerative.

PITMAN Creek Bridge on the C. & S. R. R. in Pulaski, is rapidly approaching completion. When finished it will present a grand appearance and take rank among the many powerful and costly undertakings on the road. Capt. Weeks, it is said, remains on the work from 7 A. M. till 5 P. M., each day, which is evidence enough that a repetition of the Ashtabula horror will never take place at Pitman.

Mr. A. S. MYERS will leave to-day to take up quarters until Fall at his new Hotel at Cumberland Falls. He has made some excellent improvements in this destined popular pleasure resort, and will, in a few weeks, be ready to receive guests. It is simply fixed to accommodate 75 visitors, and can promise them, in addition to the best fare the country can produce, the finest scenery and the best fishing to be found in the world.

A COMMUNICATION signed Grove C. Kennedy, appears in the Courier-Journal of Wednesday. He explains that he only escaped from the officers to keep from being taken to the dreary prisons at Louisville, and asserts his willingness and ability to give bail for his appearance at final trial in any sum not exceeding \$10,000. It is not likely that the officers will succeed in taking him *ad extra*, so it would be the better plan to accept the terms that he is now in position to dictate.

A LARGE number of our countrymen, and a number of ladies have visited town this week from various parts of the country—many of whom came expressly to make purchases of Spring goods. For several days the store houses of Hayden Bros. were crowded with them, and in the absence of the senior member of the firm, Mr. J. H. Owsen and Mr. Jos. Hayden kept busy on their feet all the time, waiting on their customers. We'll put those two young men against any other two, here or elsewhere, as salesmen.

SPEAKING.—Since his return from Washington, Judge Durham has been very unwell, and most of the time has been confined to his house. He is improving rapidly though, now, and writes us that he will address the people of Lincoln at the Court House next Monday, at 1 o'clock, for the purpose of rendering an account of his stewardship as Representative from this district. The Judge has a clean record and his foresight in opposing the passage of the Electoral Bill, should be appreciated by all good Democrats.

ABOUT THE LADIES.—Miss Maria Warwick, of Washington City, arrived this week, and will spend sometime with her many friends in this vicinity. She is at present a guest of Miss Jessie Pleasant. Both of them paid our town a visit yesterday, and looked as fresh and pretty as their prototypes, the first roses of Spring. Miss Mattie Paxton returned from Jessamine last Tuesday. Miss Sallie Hopper, of Lancaster, spent Tuesday here. Miss Ella Evans has returned to her home, at Crab Orchard. Miss S. Belle Blakeman, of Danville, a frequent contributor to this paper, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Jno. H. Jones. Miss Mary Logan has been quite sick for two weeks. Miss Pattie Beasley, of Lancaster, is visiting Miss Lucy Beasley.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP ITEMS.

Land sold for \$100 per acre near Georgetown, Scott county, last week.

At Cincinnati on Monday only about 75 head of cattle were offered. There were few sales at low prices, and bidding was dull.

FOR SALE.—A fine harness mare, a handsome Spring Wagon and new harness, and a few nice gifts of good stock.

F. J. CAMPBELL.

HORSE and JACK BILLS.—Our prices for the highest style of art in Horse bills are lower than the lowest. Call and see us, or write for prices.

LANCASTER COURT.—From Mr. Jno. H. Jones, who attended Lancaster Court, we learn that about 110 head of cattle were offered; few selling at about 34 cents. 10 steers sold at \$34 per head.

The Lexington Saturday stock sales are not so popular as some time ago. There were about 100 head offered last Saturday, with few sales. 200 sheep sold at \$4 15 per head. Common horses brought from \$25 to \$30.

On Monday, April 23, County Court day, Wear & Evans will offer to the highest bidder, on a credit of Six Months, four brand new horse wagons of Fish Brothers' manufacture. There is no better wagon made.

At Georgetown County Court day, about 400 head of cattle were offered. Most all sold at prices ranging from 34 to 5 cents. Broke mules sold from \$80 to \$125; one pair brought \$285 50; 1 do. \$235 50; 1 do. \$233. Plug horses only offered, and sold low.

The following are the quotations for stock in the Louisville market: Cattle, best grade of shippers \$5 to \$5 50. Best butcher \$4 75 to \$5; prime \$4 50 to \$4 75; good \$4 to \$4 50; medium \$3 50 to \$4; common \$3 to \$3 50; hogs, light to best \$4 25 to \$5 25; sheep, common to best \$1 to \$5 50.

At Lancaster, last Monday, Col. W. S. Elkin, auctioneer, reports the following sales: 10 head of cattle at \$10 60 per head; 3 common cows at \$22 per head; 15 calves at \$6 70 per head; 1 yoke cattle at \$86; 1 do. at \$93; 11 smooth steers (ordinary) at \$3 25 per hundred; 1 mare at \$48; 1 Jack (bid in) at \$52. Several fine stallions were on exhibition, among them we noticed "Logan Gill," owned by Garrett Elkin. He elicited much admiration, being known as the sire of the best colts in Central Kentucky.

Oh, You Salary Grabbers.

As a taxpayer of the town "I would like to know, you know" by what authority our city fathers vote and appropriate to themselves a compensation of about \$24 each, per year, for performing the arduous duties of town trustees? When, and by what means did this "grab" become engrafted upon our body politic? It is certainly of recent origin. I cannot find any provision in the charter which authorizes it—either expressly or by implication, and were our municipal affairs conducted on a larger scale, or the good name of the gentlemen who compose the Board of Trustees not so favorably known, one might reasonably expect to hear some grumbling taxpayer institute invidious comparisons between the conduct of our municipal government and those of New York and Washington, under the regime of Tweed and Shepley. And why not? For while Tweed and Shepley did take unto themselves the hard earnings of the taxpayers, they did make a good use of a divide between themselves and the municipality, but the Governors of our

little town collect our taxes, pay themselves at the rate of about \$10 a day for their services, and when we look around us for the evidences of their work in behalf of the confiding public, we find their labor has consisted chiefly in "drawing them \$2 a meeting."

TAX-PAYER.

Call on James W. Alcorn, Esq., HUSTONVILLE, Lincoln Co., Ky., March 29th, 1877.

Knowing that James W. Alcorn is a law- man of recognized and admitted ability, a man of integrity and firmness, a true and tried Democrat, and in every respect eminently qualified to represent us in the next Legislature; we therefore request and earnestly solicit that he announce himself a Candidate for the office.

DEMOCRACY.

Col. Walford Declines.

Liberty, Casey County, Ky., March 27th, 1877.

Mr. Editor:

I am not a candidate for the Senate. It is true, that I would feel greatly honored by the position, but I have a sick family and cannot leave home, and have no money with which to make a race. Col. J. H. Bruce and R. W. McFerran, are both willing to take the position, and either of them would make a better Senator than I could. I thank my friends who have mentioned my name in that connection and feel that it is right to give them a choice between the two candidates.

FRANK WOLFORD.

John B. Owens Accepts.

To Craig Lynn, John C. Hull, W. F. Abraham, and many other Voters and Citizens of the Walnut Flat Precinct.

In response to a call made upon me by you, under date of March 6th, 1877, to become a candidate to represent the county of Lincoln in the Lower House of the next General Assembly of Kentucky, I hereby declare myself a candidate

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